



St. Peter's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter 08 Friday 12/11/2021

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Local Parish Mass Times	St Peter's	English Martyrs	St Augustine's
Saturday	6pm		6.30pm
Sunday	9am 10.30am 5.30pm	9am	11am

CURRICULUM INFORMATION

The table below details what your child will be learning from Monday

Year Group	Maths	English	Science
R	All about number 5	The Gruffalo	-
Y1	Addition, using our knowledge of number bonds to help us	Using the text 'Where the Wild Things Are' we will be exploring and responding to illustrations and looking closely at the characters in the text.	Identify sources of light
Y2	Subtraction	Character Descriptions	Materials
Y3	Assessment Week	Poetry—Michael Rosen "I was born in the Stone Age"	Rocks, fossils and soils
Y4	Assessment Week	Assessment Week	Electricity
Y5	2D shapes	'Clockwork' stimulus	Properties of Materials
Y6	Time	Monologue	Living things and their habitats

RE CURRICULUM

RECEPTION	Understanding that god calls us by our name and we are special
Y1	Prayer, Saints and Feasts. Exploring the places that people go to pray.
Y2	Liturgical Calendar
Y3	Compare and contrast the lives of saints and answer the question, "What does it take to become a Saint?"
Y4	Understand reasons people go on a pilgrimage
Y5	Prayers, Saints and Feast
Y6	Considering our own views on heaven and hell

IN NOVEMBER, WE REMEMBER



Yesterday we held our own Remembrance Service in school. The children learnt about why we wear poppies, the importance of 'The Last Post' bugle call and that the 'Soldiers' Prayer was given to all British Soldiers when they signed up and was placed inside their helmet so it was with them always.

The Soldiers' Prayer:

Almighty and Merciful Father, Forgive me my sins,
Grant me thy peace, Grant me thy power,
Bless me in life and death, for Jesus Christ's sake.
Amen

First Holy Communion 2022:

Parents of children who are baptised Roman Catholic and in Y3 or above and who wish them to make their First Holy Communion in St Peter's Church in 2022 are asked to complete and return an application form available on the parish web-site www.stpetersgloucester.org.uk or by emailing the parish office on gloucester.stpeter@cliftondiocese.com. The closing date for receipt of completed forms is November 19th 2021.



NETBALL NEWS

Our netball match this week was against Robinswood. The team played some really good netball. The players marked their opponents well and made some good passes. The teams were very well matched. It was an entertaining game but unfortunately we lost 5-2. Well done to Luciana who scored both goals and congratulations to Daisy for getting

VACANCY

We are seeking to appoint a Cleaner to join our hard working and dedicated team

Please find further information at <https://www.st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk/vacancies>



Gloucester Feed The Hungry

During Live Love Learn week, each year group had the opportunity to think about our neighbours in the community. While looking at the meaning of our Core Values, we learnt about the importance of charity and how we show friendship. This involved learning about and reaching out to a local charity. In Years 3 & 4 we decided to get in touch with Hash, at Gloucester Feed the Hungry, to find out how we could help our neighbours in Gloucester. Altogether, we donated 150 chocolate selection packs to The Big Collection and Hash was invited to school to accept the donation. He met the children and told us more about the amazing work he does for Gloucester Feed the Hungry.

Here are the Chaplaincy representatives from 3SP, 3MC, 4HC and 4LP meeting Hash Norat from GFTH.





Could we please remind all parents that dinner money accounts **MUST** remain in credit at all times in order for your child/children to have a school meal.

Many Thanks

FOOTBALL



We played a home match against Tredworth Junior School on Thursday 11th November. It was a really tough game, but the team played really well. The final score was 0—0

REDUCE, REUSE, RECYLCE

During our Live Love Learn week at the end of last term, every class learnt about the importance of looking after the beautiful world God gave us. The children know that if they

- turn the tap off when they are actually brushing their teeth then they are **REDUCING** the amount of water that is being wasted.
- **REUSE** plastic bags when they go shopping with their parents then they are helping to **REDUCE** the amount of plastic in the world
- **RECYCLE** items they are helping to **REDUCE** waste and **REUSE** a range of materials

We would love it if you could talk to your children about **RECYCLING** at home and how you know what you can and can't recycle. Please encourage your children to be involved in **RECYCLING** at home.

We are collecting the following items in school for specialist recycling so please send them into school with your child: Pringles tubes, crisp wrappers and toothpaste tubes.

ECO BRICKS



The LIVE LOVE LEARN In Action Club are making **ECO-BRICKS**. These are made by stuffing single use plastic and non-recyclable plastic into 2 litre plastic bottles. It takes a long time to fill one 2 litre bottle as the plastic has to be really compact inside—this is achieved by poking it down with a large stick. Please check plastic wrappers (particularly on fruit and veg) and if they have the **NOT**

YET RECYCLABLE icon please can you send this into school alternatively you may wish to make your own eco-bricks at home. Once they are full, you can send them into school and we will forward them to a charity who use them to make outdoor furniture and flower bed borders etc This very short child friendly video tells you everything you need to know about making your own eco-bricks:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MQYsXxHKgMk>

Friday 5th November

Writing Champions



Learning Champions



Reading Champions



Caring Champions



Learning Gem Certificates We've got the power!



Friday 12th November

Reading Champions



Maths Champions



Learning Champions



DATES FOR THE DIARY

Friday 10th Dec	Whole School	Christmas Lunch	
Tuesday 21st Dec	Whole School	Christmas Mass	9.15am
Tuesday 21st Dec	Whole School	Finish at 1.00pm	Tuesday 21st Dec

DINNER MENU – w/c 15th NOVEMBER

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Sausage & Mash	Roast Pork	Chicken Curry	Battered Fish & Chips
Vegetable Tagine	Vegetable Cauliflower Curry	Vegetable Meatballs	Vegetable Lasagne	Vegetable Pasty
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato

**HOUSE
POINTS**

Weekly Totals		Cumulative Totals	
Fire	193	Fire	1036
Earth	202	Earth	1064
Water	165	Water	954
Wind	132	Wind	1018



**Congratulations
to FIRE**

Admission to St Peter's Catholic Primary School - Reception class September 2022

Starting School? If you have a child born between 1st September 2017 and 31st August 2018, you will be able to apply for a place at our school for admission from September 2022. You must complete an application form that will be available from the school admissions team of

Gloucestershire County Council from 4th November 2021. If your child is a baptised Catholic, you must also provide a copy of the baptism certificate to the school, even if you already have a child attending our school. Please ensure you apply by the closing date of 15th January 2022. We are offering tours of the school on the following dates: 22nd November 2021 at 5.30pm and 29th November 2021 at 2pm. If you would like to attend either of these please confirm a place by telephoning Mrs Harris on 01452 524792 or by email on admin@st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk

Thank you.